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Darrin Verhagen and Sue Healey

Reading the Body, 2008

Choreographer/film-maker: Sue Healey, Performer: Rachelle Hickson, Composer: Darrin Verhagen, Animator: Adnan Lalani, Cinematographer: Judd Overton DVD

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Sarah Kenderdine and Jeffrey Shaw

UNMAKEABLE LOVE, 2008

Conceived/Directed: Sarah Kenderdine and Jeffrey Shaw, Animation: Conor O'Kane, Software: Scott Ashton, Integration: Yossi Landesman, Motion Capture: Deakin University Motion Lab, Motion Capture Artistic Directors: David Pledger (NYID), Sarah Kenderdine, Jeffrey Shaw, Motion Capture Actors: Gerard Van Dyck, Dianne Reid, Fiona Cameron, Architecture: Re-Actor © Kenderdine and Shaw Interactive Installation (documentation)

Inside Right Page, Right Richard Harding Invisible Man, 2009 Digital Inkjet and screen print 25 x 35 cm

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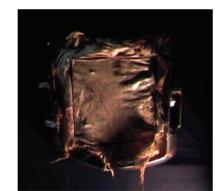
BODY is a site for experimentation and dialogue: it represents current research undertaken by members of the *Art, Science and the Body* research cluster based in the School of Art, RMIT University. While many of the artworks in *BODY* are finished artworks, some of the work presented in this exhibition are extracts from larger works, or research in progress and as such, are being tested in our public laboratory of ideas.

This hybrid media exhibition comprising sound performance and installation, sculpture, photomedia prints, video and writing explores bodies in crisis, genetically coded and foreign bodies, thought forms and the abject body. For this exhibition, the body is sculptural, sonic, visual and textual. *BODY* is anxious, mutated, transformed and transforming. The exhibition is a dialogue about the body politic we inhabit and the body we will become.

The artists and writers featured in *BODY* are leaders in the field of practice based research exploring human corporeality, health, wellbeing, death, sex, the abject, disease, desire, mutations, science, medicine and machines. The *Art, Science and the Body* research cluster is affiliated with the *Intervention through Art* project stream of the Design Research Institute.

To conclude the exhibition, Dr Philip Samartzis will premiere a sound performance which combines electronics and the voice and is a sublime act of bio-electronics. Writings for *BODY* by Keely Macarow and Elizabeth Grierson are online at: http://www.rmit.edu.au/art/body

Dr Keely Macarow, Leader, Art, Science and Body research cluster, School of Art, RMIT University.



Cat Hope Tremor, 2009 Sound Installation





